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Hongkong, June 29, 1903. 1362

**NOTICE.**  
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Hongkong, June 25, 1903. 1342**

**NOTICE.**  
DURING Mr K. ULDORP's temporary  
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Hongkong, June 26, 1903.

## VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.

AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Members will be held in the CLUB GYMNASIUM at Kowloon, on THURSDAY, the 2nd July, at 5.45 p.m., for the purpose of Confirming the Special Resolution passed at the Annual General Meeting held on the 18th June, 1903.

FRANK W. WHITE, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, June 24, 1903.

## THE CHINA LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the CHINA LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES, No. 14, Des Vaux Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 13th day of JULY, at 11 in the Forenoon, when the proposed resolutions which were passed at a meeting held on 27th JUNE, 1903, will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions:

1. That the capital of the Company be reduced from \$200,000 (divided into 15,000 shares of \$10 each) to \$150,000 (divided into 15,000 shares of \$10 each) and that such reduction be effected by reducing the nominal amount of all the shares in the Company's capital from \$20 to \$10 per share.
2. That after such reduction the capital of the Company be increased from \$150,000 (divided into 15,000 shares of \$10 each) to \$200,000 (divided into 20,000 shares of \$10 each) by the creation of 5,000 new shares of \$10 each to be offered and if accepted to be allotted to the present shareholders of the Company in the ratio of one new share for every old share in the Company held by the respective shareholders thereof.

3. That in consideration of the guarantee and undertaking now given by Messrs. Sheehan, Tomes & Co. (the General Managers of the Company) and limited by their signature here to (and to be further testified by the execution by the said Sheehan, Tomes & Co. of a separate instrument of guarantee to be executed contemporaneously with the Debiture Trust Deed or Mortgage hereinafter referred to and to be held by the Trustee thereof to be appointed as hereinafter mentioned) that the dividend for the year 1903, 1904 and 1905 in respect of the new shares referred to in the second of the foregoing resolutions shall not be paid until the respective holders thereof have been repaid the full value thereof, the said dividend to be repaid within 5 years from and after the date of such actual issue in manner following that is to say, No portion of the amount paid in respect of any of such Debentures shall be repaid until the expiration of the first three years following the date of the actual issue thereof but upon the expiration of each period of three years there shall be repaid in respect of each Debenture to each and every holder thereof (a) 'One quarter of the amount paid in respect thereof within six calendar months following the expiration of the said period of three years';

(b) 'One quarter of the amount paid in respect thereof within twelve calendar months following the expiration of the said period of three years';

(c) 'One quarter of the amount paid in respect thereof within eighteen calendar months following the expiration of the said period of three years';

(d) 'One quarter of the amount paid in respect thereof within twenty-four calendar months following the expiration of the said period of three years'.

Dated this 27th day of June, 1903.

SHEEHAN, TOMES & Co., General Managers.

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## Intimations.



NOTICE.

A MEETING of HIS MAJESTY'S JUSTICES of the PEACE will be held at the MAGISTRACY at 2.15 p.m., on FRIDAY, the 19th July, 1903, for the purpose of considering the following application:—  
From one HANS PETER JETTRUM for the transfer of his Publican's Licence to sell and retail intoxicating liquor on the premises situated at Nos. 260 and 268, Queen's Road Central, under the sign of the 'GERMAN TAVERN' to one PAUL WISSING.

F. A. HAZELAND, P. M. Magistrate.

Magistracy, Hongkong, June 22, 1903.

## THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FORTY-SEVENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES, No. 4, Queen's Buildings, on SATURDAY, the 11th JULY, at 12.30 p.m., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th April, 1903, and electing Directors and Auditors.  
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 27th inst. to 11th prox., both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO., Agents.

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## Notice.

NOTICE.

OWNERS of HOUSES Situated in the Western Division of the City of Victoria have not had their PREMISES LIMED, WASHED and CLEANSED in accordance with Law, are reminded that the period during which this work should be finished ends on the 30th day of June, 1903, and the Sanitary Board, being convinced of the necessity of cleanliness in its efforts to RIGOROUSLY PROSECUTE any owner in default after the above-named date.

By Order of the Board, G. A. WOODCOCK, Secretary. Sanitary Board Office, 1st June, 1903.

NOTE:—The Western Division of the City lies to the West of Morrison and East Streets.

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TIME TABLE.

WEEK DAYS.

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12.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

1.15 p.m. to 1.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

1.45 p.m. to 2.15 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

2.15 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

3.30 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

5.30 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

8.45 p.m. and 9 p.m. 9.45 p.m. to 11.15 p.m. every half hour.

SUNDAYS.

8.00 a.m. to 9.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes.

9.00 a.m. to 9.30 a.m. Every 30 minutes.

9.30 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. Every 15 minutes.

10.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes.

12.00 Noon to 1.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

1.00 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

3.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

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JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers. Hongkong, June 4, 1903.

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## THE BATTLE OF MANILA BAY.

How the Spanish Fleet was Destroyed.

Of the seven Spanish war-ships said to have been sunk by Admiral Dewey's guns off Cavite on May 1st, 1898, four have been raised and two inspected by divers, and not one of these six hulks, says the Manila American, are in the leastwise shot to pieces. In fact, an examination made by Captain Garry (who is conducting the floating operations) has conclusively shown that Admiral Montojo did not wait for the Americans to sink his fleet; but instead took the initiative by setting fire to and opening the sea valves and ports of the same, after which there was a mad rush for the shore that resulted in many boats being overturned and many strong swimmers going down. At that eventful moment of the battle of Manila Bay when Dewey ordered off his fleet for 'breakfast' the prospects of the fight were against him. These on the Olympia that day are well aware that Dewey was dubious of the outcome, believing that by allowing him to pass Corregidor the Spaniards had led him into a trap, and that he even consulted with Captain Gridley of the Olympia on the advisability of withdrawing from the bay. This the Captain positively refused to do, according to a certain naval officer who was on the flagship during the engagement. Meanwhile the Spanish sailors had begun the work of scuttling their ships according to a plan of operations arranged before Dewey's squadron was half-way from Hongkong to Manila. This plan resulted from the report of two Spanish naval officers who at the beginning of the unpleasantness over the Maine affair visited Hongkong for the purpose of viewing the American squadron which was then assembled there, and upon their return to Manila their statements of the superior strength of the American squadron over Montojo's fleet caused the latter to decide upon the course of sinking







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MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Meeting.  
9 p.m.—Meeting of Zealand Lodge.  
Miscellaneous.  
Goods per *Lansing* undelivered after 4 p.m. on this date landed.

General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, July 2:—  
Goods per *Hambury* undelivered after this date subject to rent.  
Goods per *Benedict* undelivered after this date subject to rent.  
Goods per *Japan* not cleared at 4 p.m. on this date subject to rent.  
Goods per *Vindobona* undelivered after this date subject to rent.SUNDAY, July 3:—  
Goods per *Macaron* not cleared at 4 p.m. on this date subject to rent.MONDAY, July 4:—  
Goods per *Arabia* undelivered after this date subject to rent.  
Goods per *Bahia* *Mara* not cleared on this date subject to rent.FRIDAY, July 10:—  
2.15 p.m.—Meeting of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace at Magistracy.SATURDAY, July 11:—  
A Grand Promenade Concert at Volunteer Parade Ground.  
12.30 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong Electric Co., Ltd., at the Company's Offices.MONDAY, July 13:—  
11 a.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of China Light & Power Co., Ltd., at the Company's Offices.A. S. WATSON & CO.,  
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27th June, 1938.

## MARRIAGE.

On the 22nd June, at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Singapore, ALEXANDER HAMILTON ACHESON, B. I. S. N. Co., to ANNIE MARGARET, widow of the late W. J. HAMBLEY, of the Oregum Gold Mine, South India, and elder daughter of J. E. O'SHEA, of the P. M. Steamer *Siberia*.

## DEATH.

At the International Hospital, Kobe, at 12.15 p.m. on the 22nd inst., from pneumonia, GEORGE H. FENCOSON, late Chief Engineer of the P. M. Steamer *Siberia*.

## The China Mail.

The publication of this issue commenced at 6.20 p.m.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, JUNE 30, 1938.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

## Sale of Crown Land.

At the offices of the Public Works Department yesterday afternoon, Mr C. L. Rees put up for sale by public auction, one lot of Crown land at Kennedy Road, near the Union Church. The annual rent of the lot is \$12. The site was put up at an upset price of \$250 and was bought by the Rev. C. H. Hickling, the only bidder present, at \$20 above the upset price.

## The Russian Demands.

The *Universal Gazette* has the following:—We learn that seven demands of Russia in regard to Manchuria have been refused by the Japanese. With reference to the sixth demand about the establishment of a Plague Examination Bureau, the reply was that the matter may be referred for consultation between the Russian Consul and the Taitai of the Peking Intendancy, whilst as regards the seventh demand—that of depositing taxes of Manchuria with the Russo-Chinese Bank, the reply was that China intends to start a Government Bank of her own, she could not deposit the funds of the country with any foreign Bank. Should it turn out finally, however, that China will not be able to start a Bank of her own, then in the event of there being any surplus funds China consents to deposit these sums with the Russo-Chinese Bank. Not otherwise.

## Round the World in Forty Seconds.

On the Fourth of July the Postal Telegraph Company, in connection with the opening of the new cable to the Philippines and other insular possessions of the United States in the Pacific, will make an effort to circle the globe from its New York offices in forty seconds, says the *Manila Cable News*. The message will be sent from the main office of the Postal Company at 253 Broadway, New York, and it is expected that it will be received on the opposite side of the globe 40 seconds after the operator sends it on the other. The message will go from New York to the Pacific Coast by the wires of the Postal, and thence come to Manila by the Commercial Cable lines. At this point it will be taken up by the Western and hurried on to London, where it will again be turned into the lines of the Commercial Cable for transmission under the Atlantic, after which, on reaching the terminal, it will resume its journey over the Postal lines. In its travels the message will make half its journey over the Postal Commercial lines and the other half over the Eastern Company's lines.

## Big Fire in Manila.

The big tobacco factory owned by the Companhia General do Filipinas on Calle Conogo, Pao, was nearly entirely destroyed by fire last night, says the *Manila Cable News* of June 26. The fire was discovered about twelve o'clock when it was burning extensively in the storerooms. Before the fire department had arrived the flames had spread so that they enveloped all the buildings except the central office. The causes in the canal nearby and the nipa roofing of the nipa shacks in the immediate vicinity were quickly ignited. The loss is roughly placed at about three million dollars, the factory building being valued at two million and the stock which was consumed at one million. It is believed that the loss is partially covered by insurance. It was only a short time ago that the Yenchai Distilling Plant which is situated in the vicinity of the factory was partially destroyed by a fire which is supposed to be of incendiary origin. There is a strong feeling among the Spaniards in Pao that last night's fire was also the work of incendiaries. This supposition is supported by the fact it was evident that the fire started in two places, for while one of the store houses on the bank of the canal was burning flames were seen to spring suddenly up within one of the larger buildings that was far removed from the original blaze.

## He Found Relief.

GEORGE ROBIN, Town Clerk, Kumara, New Zealand, says:—I have very great pleasure in stating that having used Chamberlain's Pain Balm in a very severe attack of sciatica, I found immediate relief. Had before tried many other embrocations for the same purpose, but found them all to be of no avail. Several of my friends who have been afflicted with rheumatism have, on my advice, tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm with equally good results. I confidently recommend it to all who are afflicted with household liniment or any other ailment. For sale by all chemists and medicine vendors. WATKINS Ltd., General Agents.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

## Notes by the Way.

June 17 the anniversary of the Siege of Tientsin was duly commemorated there, the ladies assisting in the decoration of the graves of those who fell in the defence.

There were 270 European and 66 Chinese visitors to the City Hall Library, and 32 European and 1,866 Chinese visitors to the Museum during the week ending 28th June.

A 1,000 miles automobile race is being promoted by the Automobile Club of America, the route being New York to Chicago. If the race comes off it will probably prove the most severe test that motor cars have yet had.

Two American Legation students had a very narrow escape from suffocation by carbon gas at Paitaiho on June 16. They were found in bed unconscious and were restored with great difficulty. It is curious that during returning consciousness they each persisted in speaking only Chinese.

The endeavour of some of the high officials to get H.E. Chang Chih-tung retained in Peking as a member of the Grand Council has failed, and H.E. is going to his home in Chihli, where, according to the *P. and T. Times*, he will probably remain.

The world's production of platinum is estimated not to exceed seven tons a year. Within the last few years the application of this metal, especially in the electrical industries, have rapidly increased, while the production remains about stationary. The present price of ingot platinum is about £3 17s. per oz.

Three American citizens were charged in the U. S. Consular Court at Tientsin on June 17 with murderous assault and robbery, the intended victim being Eugene Vernon. One of them turned State evidence, and the other two were sentenced to three years' imprisonment, and were ordered to Shanghai under guard.

## The Plague.

There were only three cases of plague reported today, two being fatal. The three were Chinese.

## Police Promotions.

We are informed that Inspector Collett, of the Wandai Police Station, has been promoted to the rank of acting first class Inspector, vice Inspector Cuthbert on leave. Inspector Gourley, Government House, is made second class Inspector vice Inspector Collett promoted, and Sergeant Cameron is third class Inspector, vice Inspector Gourley promoted. The promotions are to date from 11th April, 1938.

## Floods in the New Territory.

As a result of the heavy rain, the Cheung Shui district in the New Territory was flooded. The inhabitants were driven from their homes, and many lost their belongings. It is feared that the rice crop will suffer severely, as at some places it was ready to reap. Numerous landlairs occurred in the district. Portions of the Jubilee Road have been washed away, and the road is now in a dangerous state.

## A Gigantic Tramp.

A marvel of ingenuity in marine architecture has just been completed by Messrs. W. H. Muller & Co. of Sunderland, England, in the gigantic tramp steamer *Grangenberg*. She has but a single deck and can carry 10,300 tons dead weight on a draft of 22ft. 8in., is classed at Bureau Veritas, and will steam 10 1/2 knots an hour. With fourteen masts, twelve hatches, twenty-four derricks, and twelve double-ended winches, she can discharge the whole of her cargo in thirty hours. Her engines are placed aft, so that she may coal whilst discharging.

## British North Borneo Rubber.

Official particulars of an agreement between the Governor of North Borneo and Mr. Allyn Ireland, of Boston, U. S. A., show that the British Government have placed at the disposal of an American company about 20,000 acres, to be selected by the company, at a merely nominal rent, and for 99 years, of suitable land for the collection of the existing rubber and gutta, and for the future planting of these trees. The agreement seems to us a most generous one, and, while we (*India Rubber Journal*) have no doubt that it will eventually result in North Borneo's good, we regret very much that such a large tract of the best country should have been placed in the hands of an American company, without first being offered to a British syndicate. Considering the number of responsible people on this side who would gladly have financed such an undertaking, we think that it would have been well if the Governor had advertised his intention of granting such a lease. The duty payable upon each variety of rubber or gutta exported from the State of British North Borneo will be 10 per cent. ad valorem, the current Sarawak prices being taken as the standard of value, and this rate of duty will not under any circumstances be increased, and at no time shall the lessee be called upon to pay a rate of export duty greater than that paid by any other exporter of rubber or gutta from the State.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

## Canadian Bread at Osaka.

The number of bags of flour, used in the making of bread in the Canadian building at the Osaka Exhibition has now reached over 1,000, says the *Kobe Chronicle*. Each sack contains 49 lbs. of flour, and it is estimated that this quantity is capable of producing 120 lbs. of bread, so that 120,000 lbs. of bread have now been baked in the Canadian building and eagerly bought up by the Japanese visitors. Large orders have been received for supplies of flour, the market for which is said to have largely increased as a result of the Exhibition.

## Inoculation.

In reply to a question put by Mr. Wair in the House of Commons on May 23 as to whether the system of inoculation with plague serum which is in force in India had been adopted in Hongkong, and if not, would the Colonial Secretary consider the expediency of calling for a report on the subject, Mr. Chamberlain said: The hon. member will see from Dr. Simpson's report, which has just been placed in the library of the House, that the inoculation of those who wish to be protected with Haffkine's plague prophylactic is already carried on in Hongkong, and that Dr. Simpson recommends the continuance of this practice.

## Cassell and Company's Monthlies.

Cassell and Company's monthly publications—*The Quiver*, *Little Folks*, *Work*, and *Saturday Journal*, have just come to hand and form an attractive budget. The high standard set by the publishers is maintained to the fullest extent in each journal. *The Quiver* and *Little Folks*, both illustrated, contain some excellent articles, and in each one care has been taken to cater well for readers. As usual the *Saturday Journal* is filled with matter of interest, ranging from fun to fashion and science. Mechanics should find *Work* particularly interesting. The July number of *Little Folks* begins a new volume and something special for the children is promised.

## The Crisis in the South.

News has been received by the local mandarins from Kwangsi to the effect that a noted rebel leader of that province, named Liu Tsai-tung, with a force variously estimated from 3,500 to 5,000 men, completely armed with modern weapons, had attacked and captured the departmental city of Hsiangwuchow on the night of the 15th instant and that many of the officials of the place had joined the rebels. Hsiangwuchow belongs to the prefecture of Chienanfu, is about ten miles east of the latter city and about the same distance from the Annamese border. Chienanfu borders also Yunnan province and is not very far distant from the treaty town of Mongtze, Yunnan province. The *Universal Gazette* states that a Yunnan insurgent leader, named Chou Yun-shiang, has asked the French Minister to make terms for him and his men with the *Waikupa*. The insurgents propose that upon receiving the guarantee of the Government to allow matters to revert to the *status quo ante bellum*, they will consent to give up the cities captured by them. It is stated that the French Minister has already spoken to the *Waikupa* on behalf of the insurgents.

## The Financial Crisis in the North.

The *N.C. Daily News* translates the following from a Northern native news paper:—Owing to the financial crisis in Tientsin which threatens daily to become more serious the representatives of the Foreign Powers have sent identical Notes to the *Waikupa*, pointing out the gravity of the situation and suggesting the advisability of the Central Government appointing some high official to make investigations into the matter as soon as possible. It is stated that Prince Tsai Chien has advised the Empress Dowager to delay the establishment of a Ministry, or Board of Commerce for the present, that a high official be first appointed to visit the various treaty ports and consult personally with the great merchants doing business there. Having obtained their views it would then be quite time enough to establish the Board of Commerce proposed, otherwise the new Board, ignorant of the desires and views of the merchants and traders of the Empire, would only work at cross purposes to the people whom it is desired to benefit. The Prince further strongly recommended the Government encouragement of all kinds of manufactures and industries to compete with foreign imports and that the special patent laws and protection of inventions existing in foreign countries be adopted by China with all possible haste. In the meantime the Prince advised that the Empress Dowager issue a special decree to the Viceroy and Governors of provinces to give every encouragement to artisans and handicraftsmen to bring out their inventions and to promote such every protection against imitation for a certain period of time.

## Croupy Children.

If your children are subject to croup, watch for the first symptom of the disease—hoarseness. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, the attack can be averted. Even after the croupy cough has appeared, the attack can always be prevented by giving this remedy. It is also invaluable for colds and whooping cough. It always cures, and cures quickly. For sale by all chemists and medicine vendors. WATKINS Ltd., General Agents.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

## Marshal Su.

The *Sin Wen Pao* states that Su Kung-pao, late Commander-in-chief of Kwangsi and who has been ordered to Peking, left for the north on June 19.

## A Mixture of Stars and Stripes.

To be Astronomer Royal in China demands more qualities than the mere ability to know a star from a street lamp, states a 'By-the Way' in the *Globe*. In making his report of the last solar eclipse, the Peking expert happened to make use of characters which form part of the late Emperor's name. For this act of retrospective *l'es majeste* he received 80 blows of the bamboo. Life in the Royal Observatory of Peking may be described as being like the American flag, a judicious mixture of stars and stripes.

## The Foundering of the 'Conch'.

The judicial inquiry into the foundering of the Shell Transport and Trading Company's steamer *Conch*, on the morning of June 5 off Amblangoda, was concluded at Colombo on June 16. The Judge read out the written opinions of the two assessors. They held that the master should have gone on the bridge shortly after 12 o'clock, when the 3rd officer went and reported to him that he had seen land. He should have found out a prudent course to follow. For not doing this the Captain was held blame-worthy, and his certificate was suspended for six months.

## Australia's Alien Restriction Laws.

In the course of an interview, one of the Japanese naval officers on the squadron that has recently visited Western Australia stated that the people of Japan regarded the Commonwealth law against the immigration of their countrymen as an extraordinary one, coming as it did from the colonies of an empire to which Japan was allied. The majority of the people of Japan could now read and write, and they resented the slight which this law cast upon them. Replying to the suggestion that the law was aimed more at Hindus and Chinese than Japanese, the officer remarked that it was adding insult to injury to associate the Japanese with other Asiatic races.

## Contrary to Treaty.

A recent despatch from the Taitai of Shanghai to the Portuguese Consul-General re the murder of a native carpenter by Soerzi, a Portuguese subject, is to the effect that he (the Taitai) has been informed by the City Magistrate that the Consul-General intended to send the offender to Macao to be tried by the Court there, etc. Now he (the Taitai) is of opinion that since the offence was committed in Shanghai, it should be tried in the Consular Court of that Port, so that the witnesses could give evidence at the trial and he (the Taitai) finds that article 48 of the Treaty between China and Portugal expressly states that offences committed by Portuguese subjects upon Chinese should be tried and punished by the Consuls of Portugal according to the law of that country, and he (the Taitai) again finds that the Consul-General has full jurisdiction over cases of murder and other offences, consequently the Consul-General's act is a direct breach of treaty, therefore he (the Taitai) asks the Consul to have the case tried in Shanghai and to have the offender punished as he deserves according to the law of Portugal.

## The King's Detective.

Superintendent Melville, quiet and unobtrusive personally, is famed throughout detective circles in the Old and New Worlds as the greatest anarchist detective alive (says *Men and Women*). When the King goes abroad Mr Melville is always with him. No one would suspect that the genial-looking, quiet, middle-aged gentleman in silk hat and frock coat, who stands with the equerries on the railway platform when His Majesty is leaving town, is a great detective. But beneath the shaggy eyebrows there are keen eyes and searching, and behind there is a brain alert and ever ready for danger. Nor would strangers imagine that his apparently aimless stroll up and down the platform is made for the purpose of identifying in his mind every one of those persons who will be within a radius of 100ft. of His Majesty. Just as the train is starting, and, indeed, is on the move, they will see this unobtrusive gentleman step into a first-class compartment, and for all they know he might be the King's physician. In conversation Mr Melville is extremely modest and unassuming. An incident excellently illustrates the man. Three months ago a jealous and disappointed Italian, a member of the anarchist community in Soho, went to Scotland Yard to see Mr Melville in order to communicate to him, as he thought, some of the secret plans and seditious utterances of the London anarchists. Before he could tell his tale Mr Melville had quietly informed him what his errand was, the date he left Italy, the date he arrived in London, what he had been doing since, and what each of his London colleagues had been doing. He told him further of the plans of the London anarchists for the future, and gave details of a fiery private meeting held two nights before, of which he had, in its proper pigeon-hole, a long report, including the speeches in full of the anarchist leaders.

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## SUPREME COURT.

## CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

(Before His Honour Mr. William M. Goodman, Chief Justice and a Jury.)  
Tuesday, June 30.

## A CASE OF PERJURY.

The charge against Lau Mei, who encouraged a witness to give false evidence, and attempted to defeat the ends of Justice before the Land Court sitting to determine a claim to a piece of land at the New Territory on November 1932, was resumed this morning. The prisoner pleaded not guilty. Sir Henry S. Berkeley, K.C., Attorney General, (instructed by Mr. F. B. L. Bowley, Crown Solicitor) prosecuted, whilst Mr. E. H. Sharp, K.C., (instructed by P. W. Goldring, of Messrs Deacon and Hastings) appeared for defendant. The following were the jury:—Messrs. F. H. Shuster, A. McColl, W. C. D. Turner, W. H. Purcell, A. Beattie, C. Kooig, G. Bruce. The Attorney General closed the case for the prosecution, and Mr. Sharp opened the case for the defence, after which evidence was given by Mr. P. W. D. Goldring, solicitor (of Messrs Deacon and Hastings) who transferred the deeds of the land, Mr. Ramjani, cashier of the same firm, and other witnesses. The further hearing was adjourned until to-morrow at 10.30 a.m.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

## Rear Admiral Curzon-Howe for China.

It is announced that Rear-Admiral Hon. A. G. Curzon-Howe, second-in-Command of the Channel Squadron, leaves home on the 24th of July to relieve Rear-Admiral H. T. Grenfell C.M.G., as second in Command on this station. Rear-Admiral Grenfell is retiring on account of ill-health. Rear-Admiral Curzon-Howe has been in China before and is probably one of the most popular officers of the navy. He is a cousin of the Viceroy of India and a grandson of the great Admiral Howe.

## A Paris Walking Match.

The great walk of the members of the London Stock Exchange having excited the rivalry of the members of the French Bourse, the latter on May 22 held a walking match from Villeneuve, Saint George's to Fontainebleau, a distance of about forty-one kilometres. The race did not attract so much interest as the London event. Nevertheless, there were forty-eight competitors, composed for the most part of stockbrokers' clerks, and large crowds gathered along the route to watch the passage of the walkers, who were followed by many cyclists and automobiles. The race was won by M. Bouvier, who covered the distance in about five hours, and was seven minutes in front of the second man.

## The Sultan of Johore.

In the *Australasian* to hand by the last mail there is an interesting process reproduction of a photograph, beneath which we (*Strait Times*) read the inscription: 'Sultans of Johore, Sultan of Johore, and Mr. S. Jacobs (Chairman of Tattersall's)'. The titled lady is 'fair for to see' and very smartly dressed. The Colonies afford allurement to a potentate of the sporting instincts of His Highness that are not to be found in this part of the world. In the meantime, and in view of certain communications which have reached this paper, communications the import of which have verified, but which, through motives of policy, have been so far withheld from publication—it is reasonable to suggest that the general ruler of the adjacent Sultanate should curtail his visit to the south, and come back here to look after certain matters that might profit by his immediate personal attention.

## The Somaliland Campaign.

It now turns out that there is a definite plan of campaign in Somaliland after all, says *The Englishman* of May 21. By some means or other the Government has induced the Abyssinians to undertake the chase of the Mullah, while the British troops remain on the defensive at Bobdole with an outpost, if possible, at Galdi. It must be said that there is nothing very stirring or glorious in such a policy. At the same time it is dictated by sound common sense. The campaign of the Mullah has never struck the imagination of this nation. Few people have realised the ultimate advantage to be gained by chasing Somali fanatics over country which is under the control of another Power. If the Mullah is really a menace to civilisation, he is as much a menace to them as to us. This was probably the thought running through Mr. Balfour's mind the other day when he complained that the Italians had not helped as much as they might have done. For those reasons it is highly probable that the country at large will not disapprove of the policy outlined by Mr. Brodrick.

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## TELEGRAMS.

[REUTERS SERVICE.]  
THE SOMALILAND EXPEDITION.

LONDON, June 28, 1903.  
The Mullah, with his fighting men, has crossed half way between Damot and Bohole. This move is due to our hold on the Mogad district and the pressure of the Abyssinians advancing from the South. The Mullah's flight would have become a rout if a column of sufficient strength could have moved out from Bohole.

[N.C. DAILY NEWS SERVICE.]  
THE CAMPAIGN IN SOMALILAND.

LONDON, June 22.  
The 27th Punjab, with 250 British and 250 Indian Mounted Infantry, are to proceed forthwith to Somaliland from India, and other troops have been warned to hold themselves in readiness.

## THE CABINET CRISIS AT ROME.

LONDON, June 22.  
The Italian Cabinet crisis is settled.

## THE MANCHURIAN QUESTION.

PEKING, June 22.  
Prince Ching received the British Minister yesterday and the Japanese Minister to-day. The assurance he gave them on the Manchurian question were merely a repetition, without alteration in tone or meaning, of his statements a month ago.

## THE JAPANESE MINISTRY AND THE CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE.

TOKYO, June 23.  
The United Japanese Chambers of Commerce have passed a resolution condemning recourse to domestic loans to provide for naval increment, and advocating the employment of the proceeds of administrative economies and additional taxes.

## ANTI-JAPANESE MOVEMENT IN COREA.

In consequence of the explosion of a bomb in the Japanese hospital at Seoul where Li Yong-ik is under treatment, anti-Japanese parades are endeavouring to foment an agitation, in which the Peddler's Guild is joining, to prejudice the Korean public against Japanese banknotes.

## RISING IMPATIENCE ABOUT MANCHURIA.

Public opinion in Japan is showing signs of impatience with the protracted uncertainty of the Manchurian situation, which creates general uneasiness, and is paralysing trade enterprise.

Some of the leading journals advocate a direct protest at St. Petersburg instead of Peking.

## RUSSIA ON THE YALU.

It is semi-officially stated in Tokio that Russia last autumn demanded a 25 years' lease of land on the northern bank of the Yalu, and the Chinese Government not having replied, Russia is now treating the land as her own property.

## THE BAGDAD RAILWAY.

LONDON, June 23.  
According to Brussels telegrams, the French and German Bagdad Railway Syndicates, with the support of their Governments, have concluded a new agreement, dividing the directorate equally between them, allotting to each forty per cent of the original stock, the rest being left to Austria, Switzerland, Belgium, and Holland. The Eregh Section is to be begun immediately.

## CANTON NOTES.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)  
CANTON, June 27.  
THE NEW VICEROY.

My barber remarked to me yesterday morning, "The new Viceroy walks the streets, dressed in ordinary clothes and no body recognizes him, and so he finds out what is going on." Certainly he is becoming acquainted with the situation within his jurisdiction to, from the point of view of some officials, an uncomfortable extent. The trial of the official head of the Nam Chi Magistrature has come off, and that unfortunate official is detained for a more complete examination into his administration of affairs. The sentence already imposed is a fine of one hundred thousand taels.

## OFF TO KWANGSAL.

The officials here will now have a breathing spell while the Viceroy is in Kwang Sai. He left for that province yesterday with a flotilla of about a score of gunboats. H. E. Lee Chun, Land Director of the Department of Railways, General Lee and General Cheong have gone with him. General Cheong will have entire charge of the military operations, under the Viceroy. H. E. Sham intends to push the operations to a finish. He says that nothing worthy the name of rebellion exists in the province, only bands of robbers, as I have several times stated in these columns, but it is his intention to have the robbers hunted to their mountain retreats and exterminated. The situation in Yunnan he regards as much more serious, and he intends to go into Yunnan before returning to Kwang Tung. During his absence the Provincial Treasurer is at the head of affairs here.

## LONDON LETTER.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

LONDON, May 22.  
After carefully digesting the points for and against 'The Gordian Knot,' you inevitably come to the conclusion that it is somewhat of a pity that Mr. Claude Lowther, M.P., was not content with the laurels he has gained both in the political arena and during the South African War, when, as a lieutenant in the Westmoreland and Cumberland Company of the Imperial Yeomanry he saved the life of a brother officer at Faber's Spruit, dragging him under a heavy fire to the shelter of some rocks. Briefly told, the plot sounds powerful, but it is not altogether in harmony with general English sympathies, and apart from that you lose the thread of the story in a maze of talk that is monotonous and lacks epigram. The text is hung on the peg of the popular man with a devoted crippled friend whom he has shielded in school days from tormenting bullies. Unfortunately, the hero becomes ensnared in the wiles of a courtesan, and with dumb anguish the poor deformed man realises that nothing can unravel his friend's entanglement, so, with the devotion characteristic of deformity, he strangles the enchantress who is ruining his boyhood's protector—strangles her with her own hair—and thus solves the Gordian Knot. Miss Olga Netherole, with wonderful skill, depicted the passions of a wicked woman, but she lacks that charm which convinces you of the fatal fascination which could procure and keep for her lovers by the score. Mr. Beerbohm Tree did his best as the handiwork, but the task was rather thankless, and it was to Mr. Lionel Brough we turned with real feelings of pleasure and relief for his admirable acting of the comic Grand Duke. The play was staged at His Majesty's, but perhaps Mr. Lowther will one day give us something else, a little more finished and attractive.

Theatrical managers are up in arms over the Bill now before Parliament relating to the Employment of Children, a clause of which demands that they shall not be engaged on the stage. It seems incredible that at the beginning of the twentieth century there should exist people, many of them holding important official positions, so ignorant of the stage and its workings that they should plead it was no fit place for children and that the influence of such a life on the young mind was corrupt and demoralising. Such a very different state of affairs really exists. These small artists must necessarily be well educated, they must also be well fed and nurtured, else their appearance would not meet with the warm applause which it always does at present. And take even the mites who look forward with keenest pleasure to pantomime time, when their light feet can trip about so prettily as the fairies and goblins destined to please the richer children in front. Besides earning money which renders their poor homes more comfortable, they are taken into an atmosphere of warmth and kindness and greatly petted by the 'grown-ups,' and, as Sir Henry Irving himself said, sometimes, if they show any special capacity, prepared for a profession which has included some of the most remarkable men and women of the century. However, the Bill is being so determinedly fought by everyone interested in the theatre, that it seems to stand little chance of ever passing, and so bringing ridicule on its promoters who surely could never have really studied what such an Act would have meant.

I am happy in the possession of a new dress, and as it closely adheres to a style very popular in London just now, I want to tell you about it. The material, I have been assured, is 'the latest,' anyhow, it proved very fascinating to me. It is a rough black and white tweed, with tufts of emerald green silk thread sparsely scattered over it. This you will say is too hot now we are treading so closely on summer, but its chief beauty in my eyes is its wonderful lightness and flexibility, and however cool and fresh muslins and such like fabrics may be, they are entirely unfitted for people who 'move round.' Besides, an ill prophet has it that the coming summer is to be as dismal as was vouchsafed us last year, and that is enough to hurry one into mourning. The question of a hip yoke worried me a long while, until I compromised and decided on what I should call a 'hip collar,' that is a narrow piece of stitched material was laid on

my dressmaker rightly agreeing that too deep a belt gave a clumsy appearance. From this the skirt falls in inverted pleats opening out in their natural flounce about half a yard from the hem, where a filling of green and blue shot silk is perceptible, and my ankles are certainly more in evidence than they have been since I was sixteen. Needless to say the coat is a pleated sac, with two deep capes, giving the shoulders a sloping look, and the top one reaching in two long stoles well below the waist, the whole being lined with the same silk as the frill. My blouse to go with this consists of a pale green flowing dalaie, having a pretty red flower patterned on it, and it is not a misnomer to say this material, which is largely worn this season, washes, because it does so admirably.

## HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS ANNUAL REPORT.

The annual report of the Hongkong Volunteer Corps for 1902, was published in Saturday's Government Gazette. It shows there has been a falling off in members, but this, Major General Sir William Garcoigne explained, was to be expected owing to the change in the composition of the Corps—a change which was naturally not acceptable to all former members. The General added that he was satisfied that the change was a wise one, Garrison Artillery, and Engineers being the two units in the Garrison which required strengthening, and in which the assistance of the Volunteers, well trained, was of the highest value. In his opinion, it spoke well for the common sense of the Corps that the change was so largely accepted, once it was made clear that it was in that respect that their services were most required. The General added that he was considering the feasibility of establishing a drill practice battery at Scandal Point, where both the Artillery and the Volunteers could receive practical instruction. The total strength of the Corps stood at 274 of all ranks, as against 318 of all ranks in 1901. During the past season one member died, 61 resigned, and 17 had been struck off as absent without leave. Thirty-five new members were enrolled. The discipline of the Corps was exceedingly good throughout the season; the usual drills being well attended. Major C. G. Pritchard, Commandant of the Corps, in concluding his report said:—The difficulties in the way of training Volunteers here as Garrison Artillery are very great, and these, and the short time that has elapsed since the change, I consider the progress made has been very good, but unless some arrangements can be made for drill-guns near the Corps, the numbers can never be kept up to the approved number, nor the efficiency be as good as could be wished. At present any drill with heavy guns has to be done at one of the Forts in the District, or for one hour the men have to give up the drill to proceed to the range, and then return to the drill. This practically limits these drills to Saturday afternoon and accounts for many of the men resigning and cannot possibly give up the time. I understand there is a proposal to place drill-guns on the hill at Scandal Point near the R.G.A. and the Volunteers, and when these are mounted I hope to get more members and a much higher state of efficiency in the Corps. In fact without these guns I consider the present number too small. Early in the year a proposal was sent in that a small battery be put up in a central position at Kowloon, and that an engine, etc., and an electric search light installation should be placed there for the instruction of the Volunteers for special instruction of the Artillery, and when these are mounted I hope to get more members and a much higher state of efficiency in the Corps. In fact without these guns I consider the present number too small. 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## PRICES

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Butcher Meat.		肉
Steak and prime cut—Mei Lang Pa	lb 17	月肉
Corned—Ham Ngau Yuk	.. 17	鹹牛
Roast, Shiu	.. 17	燒牛肉
Soup, Tong Yuk	.. 12	燒牛肉
Steak, Ngau Yuk 1a	.. 17	燒肉
Sausages, Ngau Yuk Cheung	.. 16	肉
Rock's Brains, Know	per set. 8	
Tongue fresh, Ngau Li	each 45	牛
.. corned—Ham Ngau Li	.. 55	牛
Head, Ngau Tau	.. 55	鹹牛
Heart, Ngau Sum	.. 1b. 9	牛頭
Hump, Salt—Ngau Kin	.. 14	牛心
Feet, Ngau Kerk	each 8	牛肩
Kidneys, Ngau Yiu	.. 8	牛腰
Tail—Ngau Mei	.. 16	牛尾
Liver, Ngau Con	.. 11. 9	牛肝

Tripe (undressed)—xgu lo	..	7
H's Head and Feet—Xngu-chi-tau-hak, set 75	..	76
Chop,—Young Pail Kw.	..lb.	24
Leg,—Yeung Pei ..	..	24
Shoulder,—Yeung Shou ..	..	20
Chittings,—Chi chong ..	..	7
Fat,—Chi Kerk ..	..	12
Fry,—Chi Chak ..	..	12
Head,—Chi Tau ..	..	14
Heart,—Chi Sum ..	each	9
Kidneys,—Chi Yu ..	..	6
Liver,—Chi Con ..	..lb.	21
Chop,—Chi Pail Kwat ..	..	18
Corned,—Ham Chu Yuk ..	..	18
Leg,—Chu Pei ..	..	18
Fat or Lard,—Cheung Tau ..	..	15
Head and Feet,—Yung Yau R. rib set	..	45

Heart, — Young Sun	each	卅	羊心
Kidneys, — Young Yiu	..	4	羊腰
Liver, — Young Con	.. lb.	22	羊肝
ing Pigs, To Order—Chu Chai	..	16	猪仔
Beef, — Sang Ngau Yau	..	18	生牛
Mutton, — Sang Yeung Yau	..	22	生羊
— Ngau Chai Yuk	..	16	牛仔
Sausages, — Ngau Chai Yuk Tong	.. lb	15	牛仔肉

Poultry.			生口
es, — Kai Chai	..	35	鷄仔
Large, Small, — Sio Kai	..	30	雞鴨
— A	..	22	鴨
— Pan Kau	.. each	—	菜鴨
Hen — Kai Tan	.. per dozen	20	鷄蛋
— Canton, — Kai	..	28	鴨蛋
— Kainan, — Hoi Nam Kai	..	23	海南雞
— Ngoi	..	20	野雞
Wild Sh'ai, — Sh'ai Yer Ngoi,	pair	—	上海野雞

Duer, -Wong Keng	... each ...	黃屋
Shang-hai, -Tu Chai	... ..	免仔
dgo, -Che Khoo	... ..	蘭地
Sun, -Chan Kai	... pair ...	山雞
in Canton, -Pak Kap	... each 30	白鷄
Hoihow, -Hoi How Pak Kup.	... 24	海口白鷄
-Un, -Chun	... each	鵝蛋
Bris, -Wo Fa Cheuk	... dozen	禾花
-Sa Chui	... ..	沙維
yu, Chek, -Phor Kai King	... 70	火鴨
Hoen, -, + Na	... 60	火鴨
Ducks, Sh'ui, -Shanghai Sui-ai	pair	上海水鴨
-Sui Ai Chai,	...	水鴨
lychee Canton, -Sang Shin Si An	...	蜜仔

Fish.			海魚
1.-Ka Yu ... ..	13	加魚	
2.-Bin Yu ... ..	12	鯽魚	
3.-Fresh Water Fish, -Ho' Siu Yu ...	13	海鮮魚	
4.-Li Yu ... ..	13	鯉魚	
5.-Chik Yu ... ..	10	鯉魚	
6.-Mun Yu ... ..	—	鯉魚	
7.-Hui ... ..	13	鯉魚	
8.-Fish, -Muk Yu ... ..	11	墨魚	
9.-Sa Mang Yu ... ..	10	沙魚	
10.-M-Yu ... ..	10	墨魚	

...wong mei Lu ...	...	...	與用
...-Tít Tu Sa ...	...	8	跌倒
Cinget. Hai Man ...	...	14	海濱
Fresh water, -Tám Sin Yu ...	...	12	淡水
Yellow, -Wong Sin ...	...	20	黃
...-Tien Kai ...	...	24	田雞
...-Sek Pan ...	...	60	石斑
...-Pak Kuy Yu ...	...	12	白鯧
...-Tso Pak ...	...	14	鱈魚
...-Cheung Kwan Yu ...	...	16	將軍甲
...-Wong Fa Yu ...	...	15	黃花魚
...-Wu Yu ...	...	24	烏龍
...-Lung Ha ...	...	15	龍蝦
...-Chi Yu ...	...	8	鯽魚

fish, — Mou Yu	...	...	10	魚食
t, — Chai Yu	...	...	15	國生
re, — Sang Hoo	...	...	20	生蛇
fish, — Kai Kung Yu	...	...	14	鱸公魚
— Thu Loc	...	...	15	頭鱸
— Pa Paw Poong	...	...	...	花斑魚
— Pau Yu	...	...	...	斑魚
— Black, — Hak Chong	...	...	8	黑魚
— White, — Pak Chong	...	...	4	白魚
— Ming Ha	...	...	32	明蝦
— Pat Pa Sa	...	...	8	麥蝦

Black Fish, — Sek Kau Kang	...	14	石斑魚
Roach, — Tsun Yu	...	20	青斑魚
Salmon, — Ma Yu Yu	...	24	馬友魚
Shark, — Sa Yu	...	18	魚翅
Skate, — Po Yeh	...	9	魚鱔
Shrimps, — Ho	...	18	蝦
Snapper, — Loi Yu	...	20	立魚
Sole, — Tat Sa Yu	...	20	沙魚
Tench, — Wan	...	16	塘虱
Turbot, — Choi Yu	...	18	口魚
Turtles, small, fresh water, — Kerk Yu	...	70	左腳龜
White Bait, — Ngan Yu C	...	1	銀仔

Fruits.			菓
Almonds, — Hung Yan	...	20	杏仁
Apples, (California) — Kām San P'ing Kho	...	39	金平果
(Chefoo) — Tin Chuu Ping Khor	...	—	夫坤平果
Small, — Hoi Tong	...	—	海棠
Custard, — Fan Lai Chi	...	—	番荔枝
Bananas, fragrant, Canton, — San Shing	...	each 8	省城香蕉
Heung Chiu	...	4	香蕉
Bananas, (brides), Macao — San Heung Chiu	...	4	山香蕉
Christnute, Chinese, — Foong Lut	...	10	鳳梨
Carambola, — Yung Tuo	...	—	楊桃
Cocoanuts, — Yeh Tez	...	each 8	椰子
Grapes, — Sin Tai Tez	...	—	鮮提子

Lemons, China—Ning Moong	...	6	檸檬
Limes, Dried—Lai Chi Con	...	16	檸檬乾
Limes, (Saigon)—Sai Kung Ning Moong...	each 10	1	西貢檸檬
Mango, Saïna—Lui Sung Mong	...	12	芒果
Mango, Saïna—Sai Kung Moong...	...	1	西貢芒果
Man oosteen, —San Chuk Te	dozen 30	1	山竹
Oranges, (Canton)—San Shing Tim Chang	...	30	省城柑
"    Small, —Tai Kut	...	1	大柑
Mandarin, —Tim Kut	...	1	甜柑
OKIES, —Pak Lan	...	11 8	白梗
Pears, (American), —Kam San Shut Li	...	1	金山梨
(Canton), Coo King, —Sa Li	...	8	雪梨
(Shanghai), —Sheung Hai L.	...	10	上海梨

... ..	1	花生
Persimmons Large, —Hung Chie ... ..	10	紅柿
Pineapples, 1st quality, —Sheung Poon Tin		
Raw Law ... ..	each 15	本地波蘭
... .. 2nd cooking — Chung-tai-pau-law ... ..	3	中等
Plantains, —Tai Cheu ... ..	8	大蕉
Pumpo, Siam, —Chim Lo Yau ... ..	20	暹羅
Walnuts, —Kung Tuo ... ..	10	胡桃
<b>Vegetables, &amp;c.</b>		<b>菜蔬</b>
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Artichokes, Shanghai —Sheung Hai Ah		芋
Chi Cheuk ... ..	—	澳門
Beans, (French), Macao, —Oh Moon Pin Tai	16	上海
(French), Shanghai, —Sheung Hai		

Pin Kau ...	10
Sprout, -Ah Choi ...	3
Loug, -Tau Kok ...	3
Beet Root, -Hung Chot Lau ...	each 2
Brinjals, Green, -Ching Yuen Ket ...	
Red, -Hung Kung ...	3
Brusels, -Fak Chih ...	3
Bamboo Shoots, -Chek Shun ...	6
Cabbage, Chinese, com. -Kai Choy ...	2
Cabbage Root, -Kai Lau Tau ...	each -
Cabbage, (Shanghai), -Yeh Choi ...	16
Camp Shrooms, bunch, -Kau Shun ...	
Cauliflower, Large size, -Tai Yeh Choi-fa ...	each
Medium size, -Cheung Yeh Choi-fa ...	

大帮菜  
中帮菜

Small size, -Sai Yeh Choi Fy ...	細金菜
Carrots, -Kam Shau ...	金笋
Celery, Chinese, -Tung Kan Choi ...	磨芹菜
" English, -Yeung ...	洋芹菜
" White, -Pak ...	白洋芹菜
Chilies Dried, -Con Lai Chi ...	乾辣椒
" Red, -Huef Fa ...	紅辣椒
" Green, -Ching Lat Chiu ...	青辣椒
Curry Stuff, English, Ka Lee Choi Liu...	加厘材料
Cucumbers, -Ching Kwa ...	青瓜
Bitter Melon, -Fu Kwa ...	苦瓜
Garlic, -Suen Lau ...	蒜頭
ginger, young, -Sun Tsz Keung ...	粉子
old, -Lo Keung ...	老姜

... 17	米
... piece 3	米
... 'ach 1	洋米
... 6	馬蹄
... 6	花生
... 25	生草
... 6	洋生
... 4	生
... 4	上海
... 4	日本
... 4	毛
... 1	洋
... 1	青豆
... 2	青豆

Shanghai—Sheng Hai Shu Tai	3	上海	香港仔
Japan—Yat Poor Shu Tai	—	日本	呂宋仔
American—Fa Ki	—	北	呂宋仔
Foochow—Fuk Chau nu Tai	3	福州	呂宋仔
Macao—Oh Moon	—	澳門	呂宋仔
Amphink—Toong Kwa	—	2	李福蘭
Adish—Hung Lo Pak Tai	—	紅	蘿蔔仔
Amolots—Con Chung Tai	—	5	乾葱菜
Aming—(Chinese)—Faw Choi	—	—	芥蘭
Amiac—Yin Choi	—	2	芥菜
Amotates—Fan Ker	—	14	芥菜
Aros—Wu Tai	—	2	苦蕒
Amrump—Runti, (Lough)—Low Pak	—	3	蓮蓬
English—Lam Lo Pak	—	—	蓮蓬

Vegetable Marrow	—Chit Kwa	...	3	牛蒡瓜
Water Crosses	—Sai Yeung Cho'	...	6	西洋菜
Wau	—Ta Shu	...	5	大薯

A. WATSON,  
for Inspector in charge of Marine.



### Vessels Advertised as Loading

## Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour

*Inclusive of Life Arrivals and Departures reported to-day*

## Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked A., near the Kowloon shore K., and those in the body of the Shipping Office between each shore are marked C. in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

**Station.**

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.
3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour's Officer
4. From Harbour Master's to the Market.
5. From The Market to Peddar's Wharf.
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.

Section.

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Building.
8. From Blue Buildings to East Point.
9. From Keller's Island to North Point
10. Kowloon Wharves.
11. Jardine's Wharf.

Vessels' Names.	Capitain.	Flag and Reg.	Tonnage.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
<b>Steamers.</b>							
Antonio Macdon	Ugarta	Amer. str.	790	June 22	Brando & Co.		
Anping Maru	c Goto	Japan. str.	1068	June 24	Osaka Shosen Kaisha		K'loon Dec. 7.
Argo	c Melberg	Norw. str.	886	June 25	Sand. Wieg & Co.	Amoy & Foochow	
Arnold Luyken	c Ueberfeldt	Ger. str.	1040	June 21	East Asiatic Trading Co.		
Atcholl.	c Porter	British str.	3678	June 28	China Commercial S. Co., Ltd		
Bacon	c Muhle	Ger. str.	1741	June 23	Molchers & Co.		
Carl Diederichsen	c Schukler	Ger. str.	1374	June 23	Johnson & Co.		
Chingtu	c Howie	British str.	1450	June 24	Butterfield & Swire	Manila & Sydney	July 4.
Dagmar	c Salvesen	Norw. str.	383	June 13	A. Trading Co.		
Daiwin Maru	c Kato	Japan. str.	680	June 27	Osaka Shosen Kaisha	Satow & Tamsui	July 1.
Eastern	c Ellis	British str.	2240	June 23	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Sydney, &c.	July 1.
Foehing	c Speer	Chi. str.	950	June 20	M. R. N. Co.		
Foochow	c Smale	British str.	1228	June 24	Butterfield & Swire		
Haiching	c Passmore	British str.	1228	June 24	Douglas Steamship Co.	Satow & Foochow	July 2.
Hanoi	c Kerlee	French str.	739	June 21	R. Marry	Hoihow & Haiphong	July 1.
Isabaki Maru	c Sommer	Japan. str.	3817	June 30	Nippon Yusen Kaisha		
Izumi Maru.	c Yagi	Japan. str.	3301	June 30	Nippon Yusen Kaisha		
Justin	c Hughes	Amer. str.	1200	June 23			
Kish	c Ryeherson	British str.	3147	June 23	Shewan, Tomes & Co.		
Kwang Lee	c Linch	Chi. str.	1487	June 21	M. S. N. Co.		
Koenig	c Courtney	British str.	2725	June 28	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Koenig	c Lensk	British str.	2880	June 23	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Mazong	c Hall	British str.	3270	June 27	P. & O. N. Co.	Kobe	July 1.
Michael Jensen.	c Jensen	Ger. str.	710	June 21	Jensen & Co.		
Ninchenang	c Robinson	British str.	1158	June 27	Butterfield & Swire		
Onosawa Maru	c Berentzen	Danish str.	3518	June 29	Molchers & Co.		
Progress	c Moxen	Russian str.	2547	June 29	Siemens & Co.		
Quarta	c Johansen	Ger. str.	1840	June 29	Sander, Wieler & Co.		
Rainburt.	c Wendig	Ger. str.	1180	June 29	Butterfield & Swire	Manila	July 1.
Roseita Maru	c Fare	Japan. str.	1020	June 27	Toro Kisen Kaisha		
Ruth	c Abeneed	British str.	1611	June 29	Shewan, Tomes & Co.		
Sai Jongun	c Cammahan	Amer. str.	337	April 20	Order	K'loon Dec. 7.	
Shensi	c Cammahan	British str.	1240	June 28	Butterfield & Swire		
Siberia	c Smith	Amer. str.	1984	June 21	M. S. S. Co.	S'hai & San Fesico	July 2.
Suevia	c Borek	British str.	2683	June 30	Hamburg-Amerika Linie		
Sunkiang	c Borek	British str.	1021	June 27	Butterfield & Swire	Manila	July 1.
Tacama	c Dixon	Amer. str.	1089	June 20	Dodwell & Co., Ltd.		
Taifu	c Menzell	Ger. str.	1168	June 19	Bendley & Co.		
Taiwan	c Jenkins	British str.	1128	June 20	A. Trading Co.		
Taiwan	c Harder	British str.	1128	June 19	Butterfield & Swire		
Taiwan	c Dueson	British str.	1600	June 23	Butterfield & Swire	K'loon Dec. 7.	
Taiwan	c Baker	British str.	977	June 28	Butterfield & Swire		
Taiwan	c eberg	Norw. str.	1367	June 17	Calenzwiz & Co.		
Telemachus	c Williamson	British str.	1728	June 25	S'hai Wg Co.		
Thia	c Oberlich	Ger. str.	994	June 21	Jensen & Co.		
Tidius	c Brat	Ger. str.	1088	June 18	Siemens & Co.		
Tokios	b Jackson	British str.	4790	June 28	Butterfield & Swire		
Tokios	c Nielsen	Norw. str.	1418	June 19	A. Trading Co.		
Ty	c Richer	Ger. str.	1115	June 27	Butterfield & Swire		
Wangko	c Dawson	British str.	1030	June 29	Butterfield & Swire		
Woonung	c Dawson	British str.	801	June 29	Butterfield & Swire	Haito	July 2.
Wuchang	c Somerville	British str.	1257	June 27	Butterfield & Swire		
Wu	c Stringer	British str.	887	June 28	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Yokama	c Bowker	British str.	1128	June 29	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Manila	July 3.
Yokama	c Payno	British str.	1128	June 29	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		

Plant	Locality	Altitude	Date of Collection
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Destinations.	Vessels.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
Australian Ports.	Eastern (s).	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	July 1, at Noon.
Bremen, &c.	Prussen (s).	Molchers & Co.	July 9.
Bremen, &c.	Hamburg (s).	Molchers & Co.	July 9.
Phay, Spore & Co.	Luzon Maru (s).	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	July 2, at Noon.
Phay, Spore & Co.	Brooklyn Maru (s).	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	July 14, at Noon.
Phay & Tientsin.	Nanchang (s).	Butterfield & Swire.	July 4.
Havre, Bremen & Brazil.	Savio (s).	Hamburg-Amk'a Linie	July 1.
Kobe, Siki & Vosto.	Scania (s).	Hamburg-Amk'a Linie	July 8, at Noon.
Havre and Hamburg.	Nihrberg (s).	Hamburg-Amk'a Linie	July 1.
Havre and Hamburg.	Widburg (s).	Hamburg-Amk'a Linie	July 29.
Hongkong & Canton.	Wuchang (s).	Butterfield & Swire.	July 2.
Kobe & Yokohama.	Haketa Maru (s).	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	July 3, Daylight.
Kobe.	Mazowai (s).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	July 1, Daylight.
London, &c.	Massilia (s).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	July 4, at Noon.
Liverpool.	Prometheus (s).	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	July 22.
London & Suez Canal.	Amsterdam (s).	McGregor Bros. & Co.	July 14.
Manila.	Herrgarty (s).	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	July 4, at 10 a.m.
Manila.	Rubi (s).	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	July 11, at 11 a.m.
Manila.	Zafiro (s).	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	July 11, at 11 a.m.
Manila.	Raseta Maru (s).	Toyokisen Kaisha.	July 1, at 10 a.m.
Manila.	Sungkiang (s).	Butterfield & Swire.	July 4.
Manila.	Chungking (s).	Butterfield & Swire.	July 4.
Manila.	Yuenam (s).	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	July 3 & 4 p.m.
Manillevis via Saigon.	Groenland Simons (s).	Messageries Maritimes	July 14, at 8 a.
Mar. L' on & A'erp.	Albatros (s).	Butterfield & Swire.	July 7.
Mar. L' on & A'erp.	Peleus (s).	Butterfield & Swire.	July 21.
Mar. L' on & A'erp.	Bingus Maru (s).	Butterfield & Swire.	July 21, Daylight.
N'yaki, Kobe & Co.	Yokosuka Maru (s).	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	July 11, at Noon.
N'yaki, Kobe & Co.	Maedoch (s).	McGregor Bros. & Co.	July 9.
New York v. Suez Canal.	Hanck (s).	Dowdell & Co.	Limited July 15.
New York v. Suez Canal.	Santi Palo (s).	Dowdell & Co.	Limited July 29.
Odessa.	Hermann Lerche (s).	Broadway & Co.	July 14.
Shanghai and Portland, Or.	Andersson (s).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About July 31.
Shanghai.	Wendurand (s).	Butterfield & Swire.	July 3.
Spore, Pang & Cita.	Laisang (s).	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	July 7, at Noon.
Spore, Amoy & F'choo.	Anping Maru (s).	Osaka Shosen Kaisha.	July 1.
Spore, Amoy & Tainan.	Daijin Maru (s).	Osaka Shosen Kaisha.	July 1.
Spore, Amoy & F'choo.	Daig Maru (s).	Osaka Shosen Kaisha.	July 3.
Spore, Amoy & F'choo.	Haiching (s).	Osaka Shosen Kaisha.	July 7.
Spore, Amoy & F'choo.	Empress of Japan (s).	Douglas Lapaix & Co.	July 2, at 11 p.m.
Vancover (B.C.) &c.	Tartar (s).	Canadian P. & R. Co.	July 15.
Vancover (B.C.) &c.	Empress of China (s).	Canadian P. & R. Co.	July 22.
Victoria, B.C. & Tacoma.	Tacoma (s).	Canadian P. & R. Co.	July 22.
Vine, Siki & Tacoma.	Palewan (s).	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	July 14, 4 p.m.
Vine, Siki & Tacoma.	Palewan (s).	Dowdell & Co.	Limited July 4.
Vine, Siki & Tacoma.	Palewan (s).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About July 14.

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Stocks.	Railway Shares	Value.	Paid up.	Closing Market Price.
<b>BANKS.</b>				
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	10,000	£ 126	all	London, £63.5
National Bank of China, Limited	18,000	£ 10	2	8,827½ buyers
Do.	28,000	£ 10	2	8,827½ buyers
Do.	750	£ 1	1	110, sellers
<b>MARINE INSURANCE.</b>				
Canton Insurance Co., Ltd.	10,000	£ 50	50	§183, sellers
North China Insurance Co., Ltd.	24,000	£ 85.35	25	§41, sales
China Navigation Insurance Co., Ltd.	5,000	£ 400	25	Tis. 220
Singapore Insurance Co., Ltd.	30,000	£ 100	20	§1 nominal
Union Insurance Society, Ltd.	10,000	£ 250	100	§195, sellers
Yankee Insurance Association, Ltd.	8,000	£ 100	60	§190
<b>FIRE INSURANCE.</b>				
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	£ 100	20	§85, sales
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	£ 250	60	§330, sales
<b>DOCKS, ETC.</b>				
H.K. & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	50,000	£ 50	all	§214, buyers
Gen. Fenwick & Co., Limited	9,000	£ 25	25	§47, buyers
New Army Dock Co., Ltd.	6,000	£ 61	61	§480
S. C. Farman, Roy & Co., Ltd.	55,700	Tis. 100	Tis. 100	Tis. 162½, sellers
<b>STEAMSHIP LINES, ETC.</b>				
Chinese Steamship Co., Ltd.	10,000	£ 50	50	§100, sales
Harbin Steamship Co., Ltd.	20,000	£ 50	all	§100, sales
I.K.O. Co., Ltd.	80,000	£ 15	15	§385, buyers
Indo-Chinese Company, Limited	10,000	£ 10	all	§100, sales
Shanghai Ferry Company, Ltd.	10,000	£ 10	5	§161, buyers
Shen Nung-sheng Trading Co., Ltd.	2,000	Tis. 100	1	E. 1, §14.0, sellers
Shanghai Tug Boat Co., Ltd.	8,000	Tis. 50	Tis. 50	Tis. 48, buyers
Toku Togo and Lighter Co., Ltd.	6,000	Tis. 100	Tis. 100	Tis. 172½, buyers
Shanghai Cargo Boat Co., Ltd.	8,000	Tis. 100	Tis. 100	Tis. 172½, buyers
Co-operative Cargo Boat Co., Ltd.	8,000	Tis. 100	Tis. 100	Tis. 172½, buyers
<b>SUGAR INDUSTRY.</b>				
China Sugar Company, Limited	20,000	£ 100	a	§104, sellers
Jaxon Sugar Company, Limited	7,000	£ 100	a	§10
Kowloon Sugar Cultivation Co., Ltd.	7,000	Tis. 50	T	§10, Tis. 70, sellers
<b>WEAVERS.</b>				
H.K. & Kow, Wharf & Godown Co.	30,000	£ 50	all	§90, sellers
Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf Co.	20,100	Tis. 100	Tis. 100	Tis. 257½, sales
<b>LAND AND BUILDING.</b>				
Hongkong Land Investment and Building Co., Ltd.	50,000	£ 100	100	§167, buyers
General Land Investment Co., Ltd.	39,000	Tis. 50	Tis. 50	Tis. 103, sales
Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd.	8,000	£ 50	50	§38, sellers
Wei-hei-wei Land and Building Co., Ltd.	3,764	Tis. 25	Tis. 25	Tis. 18, sellers
Hongkong Estate Development Co., Ltd.	100,000	£ 10	all	§121, sales
West Point Building Co., Limited	12,500	£ 50	50	§52
<b>TRAMWAYS.</b>				
H.K. High-Level Tramways Co., Ltd.	1,250	£ 100	all	§820
<b>MIXING.</b>				
Waihe Mining and Trading Co., Ltd.	60,000	£ 5	5	§118, sellers
New Panyon Mining Co., Ltd.	30,000	£ 11	104	§20, sellers
Compagnie Francaise des Charbonnages du Tonkin.	30,000	£ 1	all	§30, buyers
Raub Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	200,000	£ 1	18/10	§870, buyers
<b>HOZELS, ETC.</b>				
Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd.	12,000	£ 50	all	§154
Oriente Hotel, Manila	12,000	£ 50	50	§10, buyers
Astor House, Hongkong	2,000	Tis. 50	Tis. 50	Tis. 150, buyers
Astor Hotel Co., Ltd. (S'hai)	30,000	£ 25	25	§31, sellers
<b>HOSPITALITY.</b>				
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited	60,000	£ 10	all	§141, sales & sell
Watkins Limited	10,000	£ 10	10	§19, §100, sales
<b>LIGHTING.</b>				
H.K. and China Gas Co., Limited	7,000	£ 10	all	§140, buyers
Shanghai Electric Co., Limited	8,000	Tis. 60	Tis. 50	Tis. 112½, buyers
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited	30,000	£ 10	10	§121, sales
New Electricity (new issue)	30,000	£ 10	5	§72, buyers
<b>BRICK AND CEMENT.</b>				
Green Island Cement Co., Ltd.	50,000	£ 10	10	§25, sellers
<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>				
Manila Investment Co., Ltd.	20,000	£ 50	50	§15, buyers
Bull's Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited	8,000	£ 12/6	12/6	§55, buyers
United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited	10,000	£ 10	10	§44, buyers
Hongkong Bakery Company, Ltd.	10,000	£ 50	50	§10, buyers
Hk. Steam Water-boat Co., Ltd.	10,000	£ 71	all	§12, sales & buyers
Hongkong Dairy Water-boat Co., Ltd.	5,000	£ 25	all	§240
Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd.	7,200	£ 20	20	Tis. 42½, sales
Hebei Planting Company, Ltd.	20,000	£ 5	5	§1 nominal
Hong Kong Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	£ 50	all	§140, buyers
Guangdong Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	10,000	£ 10	10	§16, sellers
Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	17,500	Tis. 40	Tis. 100	Tis. 35, sales
International Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	Tis. 75	Tis. 75	Tis. 40

## China Coast Meteorological

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30th June.—at 10 A.M.						
Witvliet	7 a.	29.69	69	97		0
Remuro	6 a.	30.76			SW	4
Kakadeke		29.77			SE	2
Koki		29.86			SE	0
Kochi		29.95			SE	0
Ngasaki		29.79			SE	0
Ngahim		29.83			SE	6
Naha.		29.80			S	4
Nhi jima		29.77			SW	10
Nahokoku	5 a.	29.73			NW	2
Naochu						
Naman		29.80			SE	2
Nashun		29.81			S	0
Nasodone		29.78			G	0
Neihaiwai	9 a.	29.81	73		SW	4
Nutlaui		29.74	70	90	E	1
Namp Pk.		29.76	70	01	S	3
Nashun	10 a.	29.67	80	01	SE	3
Nongkong	9 a.					
Niet. Peak	10 a.	29.76	84	77	SW	4
Niok Peak		29.75			SW	4
Niaco		29.74	83		SW	2
Niuphong.						
Niuphong.		29.64	88	66	WNW	0
Nalato	9 a.					
Nalodol						
Nollo		29.85	84			
Nebu		29.86	88		S	1
N. S. Jima	10 a.					

F. G. Frog, Acting Director

Hongkong, Observatory, June 30, 1911

1. Biomass, reduced to  $\Sigma$  degree FFA  
to the level of the sea its inches, tenths, and  
red.
2. TEMPERATURE, in the ash, in degrees E  
sit.
3. HUMIDITY, in percentage of saturation, the  
ity of air saturated with moisture being 100.
4. DIRECTION OF WIND, or two points.
5. FORCE OF WIND, according to Beaufort's  
Scale, or force, by blunty, or detached  
drizzling rain, fog, gloomy, hail, a light  
vercast, passing showers, a squally, a rain, a  
monder, a visibility, a dew (wet).
6. HAZZ, in fathes, tens and hundredths

June 30.

for Europe, &c.  
 aten, for Shanghai.  
 nio, for Canton and Calcutta.  
 gy, for Canton.  
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 ny, for Canton.  
 y, for Singapore and New York.  
 ob, for Hongay.  
 y, for Swatow.  
 n, for Canton.  
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 n, for Shanghai and Seattle.  
 ty, for Muji and Tacoma.  
 ty, for Ajmer.  
 n, for Japan.  
 n, for Singapore and  
 u.  
 n for Swatow.  
 ty, for Yokohama.  
 n, for Hankow.  
 CLEARING.  
 n, for Swatow.  
 n, for Hoihow.  
 ose Marie, for Singapore.  
 n, for Yokohama.

1. **PROBLEM STATEMENT**

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The British steamer *Telegraph* re-  
from Saigon to Paracels, light to mo-  
W. and E. winds and fine wea-  
m Paracels to port, moderate S  
d S.E. winds, cloudy weather and  
The British steamer *Haiching* re-  
moderate S.W. monsoon and so

### POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close—  
 For HUEHOE & HIAIPHONG.—  
 Per *Hanoi*, at 8 a.m., on Wednesday  
 1st July.  
 For MANILA.—  
 Per *Manila Maru*, at 10 a.m., on  
 Wednesday, the 1st July.  
 For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUI.—  
 Per *Dalgin*, Maru, at 11 a.m., on  
 Wednesday, the 1st July.  
 For TIMOR, PORT DARWIN, THE  
 BAY, ISLAND COCKATON, &  
 COOK'S BAY, & DOWNS VESSEL.  
 BANE, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.  
 Per *Eastern*, at 11 a.m., on Wed-  
 nesday the 1st July.  
 For MAXILLA.—  
 Per *Seichang*, at 11 a.m., on Wed-  
 nesday the 1st July.  
 For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOSHAN.  
 Per *Hanching*, at 10 a.m., on Th-  
 ursday the 2nd July.  
 For SINGAPORE, PENANG &  
 BAY.—  
 Per *Seichang*, at 11.30 a.m., on  
 Thursday the 2nd July.  
 For the 13th July.

**Hongkong Register**

	Previous day 10 a.m.	On date at 10 a.m.
Barometer ...	29.75	29.81
Temperature ...	82	84
Humidity ...	87	78
Direction of Wind ...	SW	SW
Force ...	2	2
Weather ...	—	0
Rain ...	or	0.57

All times open air temperature on the 18th.  
 Closed open air temperature on the 18th.

**F. G. Figg, Acting Director**

The following

On the 30th at 11.40. The depression has fallen generally except over the S. of Shanghai. Pressure is high over Central Japan and of the China Sea.

Fresh S. and SW. winds in Channel and over the N. part of Sea.

Forecast:—Fresh SW. wind showery.

**Temperature.**

HONGKONG, June 30,

BAROMETER—	9 A.M....	...
Do.	1 P.M....	...
Do.	4 P.M....	...
THERMOMETER—	9 A.M....	...
Do.	1 P.M....	...
Do.	4 P.M....	...
Do.	(Wet bulb) 9 A.M.	...
Do.	Do. 1 P.M.	...
Do.	Do. 4 P.M.	...

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**IMPURITIES IN THE BLOOD.**—"V  
bowl of letters from people who have  
great benefit from the use of Cl  
"It cannot be too highly  
it cleanses and clears the blood  
purifies." This is a good testimon  
Family Doctor," which goes on fu  
"It is the fin Blood Purifier that  
should have brought to light, and we  
cannot, candidly recommend it to  
best and the public generally." I  
Scoury, Eczema, Bad Legs, Skin  
Disease, Pimples and Sores of th  
affections marvellous. Thousands  
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lowest of wholesale prices, and

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